



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of: **Kazuaki KURIHARA et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2831**

Serial Number: **10/706,288**

Examiner: **Nguyen T. Ha**

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For: **LAYER CAPACITOR ELEMENT AND PRODUCTION PROCESS AS  
WELL AS ELECTRONIC DEVICE**

Attorney Docket Number: **032104**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 16, 2006

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 19, 2005 for two month(s) from December 19, 2005 to February 19, 2006.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$450.00 for the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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